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Washington, le 19 février 1951.

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Monsieur le Secrétaire d'Etat,

Mon Gouvernement m'a chargé de l'honneur de recourir à votre haut intermédiaire pour porter à la connaissance du Président des Etats-Unis d'Amérique que Son Altesse Royale la Princesse, épouse de Sa Majesté le Roi, a heureusement mis au monde, le 6 février 1951, une Princesse qui portera les noms de Marie-Christine, Daphné, Astrid, Elisabeth, Léopoldine.

Je saisis cette occasion, Monsieur le Secrétaire d'Etat, de vous renouveler les assurances de ma plus haute considération.

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L'Honorable Dean Acheson,
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Excellency:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your note of February 19, 1951 stating that Her Royal Highness the Princess gave birth to a daughter on February 6.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

For the Acting Secretary of State:

His Excellency
Baron Silvercruys,
Belgian Ambassador.

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EMBASSY OF BELGIUM

Washington, February 19, 1951.

Mr. Secretary of State,

My Government has charged me with the honor of having recourse to your high intermediary to bring it to the knowledge of the President of the United States of America that Her Royal Highness the Princess, wife of His Majesty the King, has happily given birth, on February 6, 1951, to a Princess who will bear the name Marie-Christine Daphné Astrid Elisabeth Léopoldine.

I avail myself of this occasion, Mr. Secretary of State, to renew to you the assurances of my highest consideration.

/s/ Silvercruys

Note —
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The Honorable
Dean Acheson,
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